

City of Gaithersburg Press Release

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"Earth, Wind & Fire Tribute Band" Brings R&B, Funk and Jazz Sounds to Concert Pavilion

Gaithersburg, MD – (June 3, 2019) The City of Gaithersburg brings 1970s' nostalgia back with a free concert featuring the Earth, Wind & Fire Tribute Band at the City Hall Concert Pavilion on Saturday, June 22, 2019, from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Feel free to bring a blanket or low-back lawn chair and a picnic dinner, or pick up some carryout from one of the many restaurants in Olde Towne. The Concert Pavilion is located at 31 South Summit Avenue.

The Earth, Wind & Fire Tribute Band is made up of talented musicians and vocalists with gospel music roots. The group shares a great love and appreciation for the style and musicianship of Earth, Wind and Fire, paying homage to one of the greatest bands of its era and bringing to life the magical R&B, funk and jazz sounds that continue to inspire and influence the entertainers of today. From the funky and "earthy" grooves, to the sophisticated and complex lyrics and orchestrations, the group continues to keep the music alive so that everyone will know that the elements, Earth, Wind and Fire, will live on forever.

Outdoor music continues throughout the summer at the City Hall Concert Pavilion with weekly Thursday morning <u>Kids Concerts</u> at 10:30 a.m. in June and July. Thursday evenings heat up at the Concert Pavilion with <u>Evenings in Olde Towne</u> at 6 p.m. in June, July and September. There are on concerts on Thursday, July 4.

Outdoor concerts are funded in part by a grant from the Maryland State Arts Council (MSAC). To discover more about MSAC grants and how they impact Maryland's arts sector, visit www.msac.org.

For more information, please visit the City's website at www.gaithersburgmd.gov or call 301-258-6350.

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